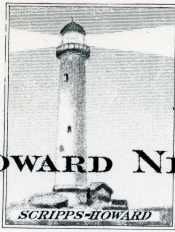


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WILLIAM W. HAWKINS
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May 10, 1945.

Dear Amon:

I've been reading in the papers about your reunion with your son upon his release from a German concentration camp. I can well imagine the pride and joy you felt at the moment of meeting. It must have been wonderful.

Mrs. Hawkins and I, between us, have five sons overseas, four in the Pacific, and one at present in Persia.

The other day I received a letter from The Hired Hand stating that he was sending me a bucket of Papershell Pecans from Shady Oak Farm. They arrived in fine condition, and I want to take this opportunity of thanking you for them. The only regret I have is that I fear they will not reduce my waist-line.

With best personal regards

Sincerely yours,

William W. Hawkins

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